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## CHIEF JAS. WOOD'S FATE IN HANDS OF HIS ENEMIES NOW

Civil Service Regulations Imposed by Legislature Are Not Binding on Board.

Two Commissioners Are Opposed to Him.

MAYOR SMITH HOLDS BALANCE

I do not consider the act of the legislature, known as subsection 3 of section 3142-a, in so far as it prescribes that written charges must be filed and investigation made before a fireman can be discharged, as binding upon the police and fire commissioners, because it is an attempt to directly regulate and control the firemen in cities of the second class, and which is beyond the power of the legislature.

According to the opinion of City Solicitor James Campbell, Jr., of which the foregoing is the conclusion.

Chief James Wood may be dropped from the fire department without the formality of charges under civil service rules. The board will meet, probably, the first of next week to elect firemen. The question was left open at the last meeting, because the fire commissioners did not know whether the act of the legislature, which says: "No officer, member or employee thereof (referring to the fire department), shall be fired, reprimanded, removed, suspended or dismissed from the fire department until written charges have been made or referred against him or them, nor until such charges have been examined, heard and investigated by said board and sustained," was binding.

Mr. Campbell found a decision handed down by Judge O'Rear, of the court of appeals, which says: "Certain public officers, such as police and members of council, and all who by the nature of their positions serve the whole state in so far as their jurisdictions extend in dealing with matters with which the state as a whole is concerned, and which might have been required of any other body of magistrates with as much legal propriety, are confessedly subject to direct control by the state through its legislature. But mere employees, firemen and the like, are not subject of legislative control."

Commissioners R. R. Sutherland and Mann Clark are opposed to Chief Wood, while the mayor remains non-committal. He will not vote against the chief unless he can get as good or a better man for the place.

Mr. Campbell's opinion was furnished on request, without reference to the approaching election.

## Another Confession

Union City, Tenn., Jan. 15.—Ethelbert Rogers, one of the men under arrest awaiting trial for complicity in the murder of Capt. Rankin, for which the eight men just tried were convicted, caused a revival of excitement in the night rider situation by making a full and complete confession to Attorney General Caldwell. Rogers is one of the three wealthy men implicated. Rogers' story in detail will concern some of the wealthiest and most prominent families in Western Tennessee.

## NEW OFFICERS

INSTALLED BY THE MARINE ENGINEERS, NO. 24.

James Weston, Delegate to Annual Convention Leaves for Washington, D. C.

New officers for the ensuing year of the local association, No. 24 of Marine Engineers were properly inducted into their respective offices last night by C. N. Vosburg, third national vice president, of New Orleans, in a very impressive and interesting manner. After the installation of officers the association enjoyed a smoker and fine refreshments. Mr. James Weston, of Paducah, Charles James, of Cairo, and C. N. Vosburg, delegates to the annual convention held at Washington D. C., of the M. E. B. A., January 18, left at 1:30 o'clock this morning.

## Two Desperate Prisoners Dig Way Out of Fulton Co. Jail and Escape —Second Break in Last Few Years

Divorce Suit Filed by Charles Bronston at Lexington, Ky. Against Mrs. Belle Wisdom Bronston Alleging Desertion

Hickman, Ky., Jan. 15.—(Special)—T. C. Bullard, alias Angus Pitts, confidence man and forger, and T. B. Mayes, a forger, dug out of jail and escaped.

A few weeks ago four prisoners assaulted the jailer and escaped.

### Bronston Divorce Suit.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 15.—(Special)—Charles Bronston filed suit this morning for divorce from Belle Wisdom Bronston, alleging abandonment. They were married in 1897 and the plaintiff says she abandoned him in March, 1907, without cause. He says she has \$75,000 in her own name and seeks to recover \$22,780, which he gave her during their married life. Mrs. Bronston was from Paducah.

The Bronston family troubles are well known. Mrs. Bronston has been compelled several times to leave her husband.

### No Friction.

Frankfort, Jan. 15.—(Special)—Governor Wilson denies there is friction in his official family.

### INTERESTING ADDRESS AT BUSINESS COLLEGE.

Dr. R. H. Crossfield and Prof. J. E. Sturgis, who are conducting revival services at the First Christian church with the Rev. S. B. Moore, visited Draughon's Business college on the invitation of Prof. Rouse at 11 o'clock on Friday. President Crossfield spoke to the student body on "Elements of Successful Business Life" and made a lasting impression. The address was received with great applause both by the teachers and students.

### Unemployed Stand Firm

Cardiff, Wales, Jan. 15.—Lawyers still hold the Bute estate with red flag raised, although the courts issued an order, ejecting them. They declare they will resist if the soldiers are sent. Many persons, including land owners, are urging Bute to allow the unemployed to cultivate his game preserve. Others fear such a course will cause the unemployed in other sections to seize land and advise Bute to insist that the troops drive out the trespassers. Serious trouble is feared.

## HONOR PUPILS OF HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR CLASS ARE DESIGNATED BY PRINCIPAL

Honor pupils of the first-year graduating class of the High school were announced this morning open ing exercises by Prof. W. J. Sugg. The valedictorian was won by Miss Marian Williamson with average per cent of 96.3-16, and second honor, the salutary, by Irma Yeler with an average per cent of 91.21-32. Although the honor pupils have been announced, there will not be any mid-year commencement, as the financial department of board is not sufficient to bear the extra burden. The plan is to granplomas to any of the graduates it want them, but wait until next year when the annual commencement will be held, and both classes participate. However, this plan has not proved satisfactory to the graduates

## PITTSBURGLAR IS GIVEN 15 YEARS FOR LOOTING BANK

Pittsburgh, Jan. 15.—J. F. B. Rhinehart, former president of the Farmers' and Drovers' National bank, was found guilty of looting the bank of over a million dollars. Within an hour after the verdict Rhinehart was sentenced to 15 years.

of the February class. The present semester will close February 29, but next week will be the last week for the Senior A class, as the custom of giving the graduates a week off will be observed this year.

Miss Williamson, the valedictorian, is the daughter of Mrs. Minnie W. Williamson, and a young woman who made one of the highest per cents ever made in the High school. Miss Yeler is the daughter of former Mayor and Mrs. D. A. Yeler, and besides being a bright student, is a popular young woman.

The other members of the class are: Lucy, Belle Settle, Elizabeth Kirkland, George Rawleigh and George Scott. Mr. Scott is now attending the State University.

While the failure to have mid-year commencement is causing anxiety to the friends of the graduates, many other city high schools have discontinued it. Evansville combined commencements of the two classes several years ago, and this year the Des Moines High school followed suit. All of the school's regret the action of the school board, but realize that the expense is too heavy, as the commencement have not been self-sustaining for several years.



THREATENING

Threatening and poor rain to-night and Saturday; no change temperature. Higher temperatures yesterday, 44; lowest to 35. Rainfall, 15 inches.

## MERCHANTS WILL NOT HAVE TO PAY EXTRA LICENSES

Conspiracy Afoot to Make Them Catspaws of Unscrupulous Politicians.

Purpose is to Interfere With Administration.

SHOULD AWAIT A DECISION

The yelp that echoed through the corridors on the second floor of the city hall this morning indicates that somebody's dog was hit by The Sun last evening and gives rise to a well-founded suspicion that there is a conspiracy afoot to emasculate the license ordinance recently passed by the general council, and merchants are being tricked into acting as catspaws for some small fry politicians.

If the license inspector and treasury muddle was settled, this could not occur, but as it is, one set of officials on the second floor of the city hall do not concur with the executive department, and informed merchants that they would have to pay extra license for every particular article they handle in their store. Under this construction, there would be nothing for a merchant to do but submit to extortion or go to law. Mayor Smith, Auditor Kirkland and others, who knew as much about that ordinance as anybody else, say the merchants' license is comprehensive and includes all the stores, and wherein special lines are mentioned, they are intended to catch such concerns as would try to avoid a license as a general merchant. The ordinance provides that when there is a difference of opinion as to its construction, the mayor shall act as referee.

A little clique is anxious to spoil the mayor's plans for the improvement of the city, and do not even care whether they interfere with the purpose of increasing the appropriation for the Home of the Friendless, the construction of the Island creek bridge, the erection of a contagious ward at the hospital, the improvement and sprinkling of streets, the wiping out of the floating debt, or any of the numerous enterprises proposed, which will eventually result in a reduction of the tax rate. They desire to interfere with the administration's plans, through malice, and one way to do that is to get the license ordinance torn to pieces.

**The Merchant's Part.**  
Merchants are not complaining at the merchant's license, but they decline to pay it three or four times over. There is no reason why they should, except that one bunch of unrecognized claimants to city pie, entrenched in the office of the city clerk, are telling the merchants they must pay three or four times as much license as the law says they must.

The purpose is to force merchants to petition the general council for a change in the ordinance or to go to law about it. It is mighty little politics, and it will do the city great injury, but the men engaged in the conspiracy haven't any financial interest in Paducah or regard for its welfare, outside the living it affords them.

It has been suggested that if these merchants will hold their peace until the settlement of disputes over the right to city offices, there will be no question raised of their right to do business under a merchant's license.

City Solicitor Campbell, when requested by G. W. Walters, who is contesting the right of City Treasurer Dorian to hold office, informed Walters that the tax collector must follow the law, but in case of disagreement the mayor is the referee. Mayor Smith said \$25 is the fee, and the complaining merchant tendered that sum, and, being refused, decided to await developments.

**No Government Buildings.**  
Washington, Jan. 15.—The house committee on public buildings and grounds decided not to recommend any new government buildings this session.

## NO RACE SUICIDE GOES UNDER TAFT ADMINISTRATION

Crawfordsville, Ga., Jan. 15.—Mr. Taft is following Roosevelt's example as opponent of race suicide. He addressed a crowd here. He told the people one of the fundamental principles of the present Republican administration was gathering large families. He promised to continue the principle in the next administration.

## Grief Maddened Father Rushes in Where Family is Burned to Death and Himself Receives Fatal Hurt

ITALIAN RELIEF FUND.

L. Viviani has been designated by J. P. Cuneo, Italian consular agent at Louisville, to collect funds for the earthquake sufferers. M. Viviani received a letter from the consul today, advising him of the appointment and enclosing a circular letter, requesting funds. Mr. Viviani will solicit funds for the relief of the stricken provinces. He himself, is a native of Tuscany.

Whole Family is Exterminated by Fire in Shack of Lumber Camp in Wisconsin—Companions Rescue Man.

Ashland, Wis., Jan. 15.—Mrs. Nate Sherrard and four children were burned to death in a fire which destroyed a shanty at a lumber camp. Sherrard tried vainly to rescue his family. When he failed he rushed into the flames and tried to die with the rest. Companions rescued him, but he was fatally burned.

**THORNTON HAINS IS ACQUITTED OF MURDER OF ANNIS**

There is every indication this afternoon of a mistrial. When the jurors went to dinner they appeared as far from an agreement as ever. McIntrye claims he secured absolute information that the jury stands ten to two in favor of acquittal. Darrin insists there will be a manslaughter verdict or a disagreement. Jurors are showing the strain. Two are seriously ill and frequently require medical attention. While hearing the evidence read, one juror asked that the jury be discharged if it couldn't agree in an hour. Crane refused, saying their duty was to reach a verdict, if possible.

Flushing, L. I., Jan. 15.—Thornton Hains, charged with complicity in the murder of Annis, was acquitted today after the jury had been out 22 hours. Peter Hains, brother of Thornton, accused Annis of ruining his home, while he was an officer in the Philippines. He shot and killed Annis, editor of the Burr McIntosh magazine, and Thornton Hains drew a revolver and kept off the crowd, which gathered, until the police arrested them both. He contended that his brother was crazed by his wife's confession, and that he acted only as a brother in defending Peter. It is now believed that Peter Hains will be found insane and committed to an asylum.

**Hatters Are Mad**

New York, Jan. 15.—Strikes are expected in 75 hat factories in this section as the result of a decision of manufacturers to discontinue the use of the union label. Nearly 25,000 men will be affected. Four thousand men quit at Newark. Three thousand quit at Danbury, Conn., and 1,000 at South Norwalk. The men say the strike will become general tomorrow unless the decision is rescinded.

## CRIMINAL TERM OF CIRCUIT COURT IS ABOUT ENDED

All claims that the people did not have enough money to get into trouble were smashed to smithereens by the annual report of Chief of Police James Collins. According to the report there were 1,821 persons arrested in 1908 which is an increase of 129 arrests over the year of 1907, when 1,692 were arrested. The increase in crime has been various as there were double the number of murders. Four lives were taken by this route, while drunkenness, as well as gaming, showed an increase. One reason attributed for the increase was the various crusades conducted against vice by Mayor Smith soon after his inauguration. In keeping with the increase in the number of arrests there was an increase in the city's revenue from the police department, as \$776.57 more was turned into the strong box.

Again the department slightly over drew its apportionment, as the expenses of the year amounted to \$29,593.24, while the apportionment allowed the police department is \$29,000. The expense was several hundred dollars greater for last year than 1907, but this is attributed to the extra precautions that were taken by the officials to prevent an attack on the city by the night riders.

From the fines \$7,024.52 were collected, an increase of 11 per cent over 1907. March was the banner month for revenue from the police department, as \$1,258.25 was collected, being due to the payment of fines by bawdy houses and gamblers. March also led in the number of arrests as 198 unfortunate were served with warrants. From the city pound \$35.50 was collected.

Chief Collins asks that the expense of feeding the city prisoners while serving time, payment of the chain gang boss and other jail officials be charged to the street department. In his statement he says that the street department received credit for the work that is done on the streets, but that the expense has to be met with funds from the police apportionment. Should the board adopt this method it is hoped to end the deficit in the police department. Also the department asks for a new patrol wagon as the old wagon is well worn after eight years of service.

**Anderson Gets 3 Years**

Owensboro, Ky., Jan. 15.—(Special)—Banker T. S. Anderson was found guilty of making false bank statements and sentenced to three years.

**Will Have Racing**

New York, Jan. 15.—Owing to recent court decisions favoring racing, the Jockey club announced it will continue racing at Saratoga and the local tracks this summer. Race supporters believe Hughes won't interfere.

## Chicago Market.

May	High	Low	Close
Wheat	1.06%	1.05 1/2	1.05%
Corn	61 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
Oats	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
Prov.	16.92 1/2	16.85	16.87 1/2
Lard	9.30	9.72 1/2	9.77 1/2
Ribs	8.92 1/2	8.92 1/2	8.90

# A Money-Saving List FOR Friday and Saturday Buyers

\$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 Stiff Bosom Manhattan Shirts.....	<b>\$1.10</b>
\$1.00 Shirts in regular or coat style.....	<b>69c</b>
\$1.50 Manhattan Shirts, pleated or plain, with attached cuffs.....	<b>\$1.09</b>
\$2.00 Manhattan Shirts, pleated or plain, with attached cuffs.....	<b>\$1.39</b>
\$2.50 Manhattan Shirts, pleated or plain, with attached cuffs.....	<b>\$1.75</b>
25c Fancy Socks.....	<b>19c</b>
50c Fancy Socks.....	<b>38c</b>
25c Suspenders.....	<b>19c</b>
Men's Suits and Overcoats that sold at \$12.50 and \$10.00.....	<b>\$6.88</b>
Men's Suits and Overcoats that sold at \$18.00 and \$15.00.....	<b>\$10.75</b>
Men's Suits and Overcoats that sold at \$25.00.....	<b>\$16.48</b>
Men's Suits and Overcoats that sold at \$40.00 and \$35.00.....	<b>\$21.75</b>

Extra Special Bargain in light colors Soft Hats that sold up to \$3.00, for **95c**

## A Great Saving On Children's Clothing

\$4.00 Suits and Overcoats.....	<b>\$2.75</b>
\$5.00 Suits and Overcoats.....	<b>\$3.50</b>
\$7.00 and \$8.00 Suits and Overcoats.....	<b>\$4.50</b>
\$9.00 and \$10.00 Suits and Overcoats.....	<b>\$6.00</b>
\$12.50 and \$10.00 Suits and Overcoats.....	<b>\$7.50</b>

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Box seats.....\$1.50  
Balcony.....75c and 50c  
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"Nothing sweeter in its sentiment, more bubblingly naive in its humor nor more deliciously clever has been here in a long time."—Kansas City Journal.

## News of Theatres

Female Line Three Generations on Stage—Patti Rosa.

"Like father, like son," is a familiar quotation of ancient lineage, but it is not often that one hears of three generations of the female line following the same profession. This unusual occurrence is happily illustrated in the case of Patti Rosa, the Lyman Twins this season. Miss Patti Louisa Rosa should have a natural equipment for stage work, as both her mother and grandmother were footlight favorites of more than ordinary degree. The young lady is a daughter of the jolly Patti Rosa, remembered with much affection by the majority of the amusement-loving public, and Patti Rosa was a daughter of Madam Cerito, a famous figure on the Italian stage in the last generation. Skill in dancing was a great gift in common with all three of the family.

### Black Politician.

"The Black Politician" has been selected to exploit the rare talents of "The Smart Set" the best and most capable band of colored comedians before the public. It will be seen at the Kentucky January 27.

### Polly of the Circus.

Mr. Frederic Thompson, who is today recognized as a successful producer, having launched such hits as "Brewster's Millions," "Polly of the Circus" and the greatest attraction in the world, "Luna Park at Coney Island, New York City," will present Edith Taliaferro, sister of Mabel, at the Kentucky.

Lady of Uncertain Age (to old admirer)—"Well, Admiral, how do you think I'm looking?"

Admiral (who last remembers her with gray hair)—"My dear lady, at least thirty years younger!"—Punch.

### A Knight for a Day.

Among the many song hits in "A Knight for a Day" are: "I'd Like to Buried Their Souls."

## EVEN READY FOR ASSASSINATION

Says Tillman in Replying to Bonaparte.

Unscrupulous Men Know His Mail Is Being Held—May Not Have Stolen Papers.

"BUT THE PAPERS ARE GONE."

Washington, Jan. 15.—In the course of a speech replying to the recent letter of Attorney General Bonaparte on the Oregon land matter, speaking of the differences of recollection between himself and Attorney General Bonaparte, Senator Tillman declared:

"I am ready to let my word be put against his in any court in Christendom, and to let my record in the past for truthfulness, honesty and integrity stand against him."

He asserted he was not only dealing with President Roosevelt but with all cabinet officers who are in the league, "because, according to the newspapers, they are discussing me at cabinet meetings, and are determined to accomplish my ruin if possible."

Ready for Anything.  
"When I deal with unscrupulous men as I do now, I am prepared for anything, even the assassin's knife. My mail is being held up. I am satisfied of that. I will not say my room has been broken into, because there are keys that can open everything in this capitol. They may not have stolen my papers, but they are gone."

Tillman then narrated a conversation he had over the telephone yesterday with Attorney General Bonaparte, in which he asked whether suit had been brought against the Southern Oregon company, holder of the military road grant. After making inquiry of a clerk, Bonaparte told him he would write him a letter.

After having the letter of the attorney general read, Tillman declared that up to this time, and after nine months, nothing had been done in response to the order of congress to bring the suit.

Slow Processes of Law.  
Tillman referred to the motive of the attorney general. "We all know how slow the processes of law are, especially against millionaires; we all know the process of being ready to do it and of being anxious to do it."

The fact was that the attorney general had gone into print to bolster up the president, and charge him (Tillman) with not having talked to him about this matter. He said he did not like to use the adjective called for in this case, but would let his hearers fill it in for themselves. He had been frank in talking about the Oregon case with the attorney general and had made full explanation to him.

He then referred to Postmaster General Meyer and his statement that the president had been in possession of the facts in this case only since December 18, and characterized that as "falsehood No. 1." He also insisted that the postmaster general had made a misstatement in reference to the time that a fraud order was issued against Dorr (one of the men concerned in the land deals.)

Letter Was Copied.  
He also referred to the statement in the inspector's report that his letter to Reeder and Watkins had been copied and carefully compared with a later statement that instructions had been given to make that comparison now. He declared a constant effort was being made to shield the president from complicity in this investigation of a senator until very recently.

Tillman announced that he had received another circular sent out by Dorr in which the following statement was made:

"Some day I shall have justice and reparation, and when that day comes now not far distant, there will be a noise that will be heard around the world."

That statement by Dorr, Tillman insisted, was conclusively proof that Dorr had received assurance from the president that he would "drag Tillman down as a liar and scoundrel."

Exploded Bomb Friday.  
They exploded their bomb here last Friday and now two members of the cabinet are endeavoring to make the country believe Roosevelt is the most honest, noble, disinterested prosecutor of great misdeactors that ever existed. Dorr says he is going to get revenge. Who could promise that to him two months or six weeks before the explosion of the bomb?"

He wanted to know what degree of

## TRY TO-DAY

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## SOAP

## KERN CHARGES DOUBLE DEALING

Secret Ballot Made Possible  
All Sorts of Treachery.

Had Made Hard Fight for Open Ballot—Lamb Tried to Throw Forces to Kern—Taggart for Him.

BUT HE HAD NO ACTIVE PART

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 15.—The election of B. F. Shively, of South Bend, as nominee for United States senator by the Democratic members of the state legislature was followed by a statement from John W. Kern, who was Shively's strongest opponent. Concerning the secret ballot against which Kern made a hard fight, he says it made possible, not only the betrayal of constituents by their representatives, but "all sorts of treachery, double dealing and corrupt practices."

Shively was elected on the twentieth ballot, after the caucus had voted for five hours. The contest was a hard one. John E. Lamb, who stood for an open ballot, tried to throw his forces to Kern, but failed in the attempt. Kern left the state house, where the caucus was held, immediately after the final result was announced.

Thomas Taggart declared that he took absolutely no part in the senatorial contest. The Kern people are not denying this, but they declare that there was no effort to stop some things that were being done with Taggart's knowledge.

Sympathized With Kern.  
"I want to say," said Taggart, "that my feelings have been with Kern all through this race. I don't believe there is anything in these stories of double crossing. I believe every member of the Marion county delegation was loyal to Kern."

"When shown a copy of Kern's charge, Shively refused to make any comments. Shively's room was crowded by legislators and friends who came to congratulate him on his victory. Messages of congratulations were received from national Democratic leaders, among them W. J. Bryan.

Shively was in conference yesterday afternoon with Governor Marshall at the state house, following a call from the governor. Shively will return to his home at South Bend today, but will be here January 19, when the legislature formally elects him to the senate.

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I will chase after that car. Must catch it. Can't wait. Safe enough!

My little boy plays on the street. It is dangerous. I will tell him tomorrow.

I will drive in front of that electric car. Plenty of time. No cause for worry.

In a hurry. Don't care.

## Woman's Power Over Man

Woman's most glorious endowment is the power to awaken and hold the pure and honest love of a worthy man. When she loses it and still loves on, no one in the wide world can know the heart agony she endures. The woman who suffers from weakness and derangement of her special womanly organism soon loses the power to sway the heart of a man. Her general health suffers and she loses her good looks, her attractiveness, her amiability, and her power and prestige as a woman. Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N.Y., with the assistance of his staff of able physicians, has prescribed for and cured many thousands of women. He has devised a successful remedy for woman's ailments. It is known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is a positive specific for the weaknesses and disorders peculiar to women. It purifies, strengthens, heals. Medicine dealers sell it. No honest dealer will advise you to accept a substitute in order to make a little larger profit.

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Ladies' Short Flannelette Kimonos, pretty designs and attractively made, \$1.7 value at .....	<b>\$1.19</b>
Ladies' Long Flannelette Kimonos, regular price \$2.50, choice .....	<b>\$1.59</b>
<b>\$10.00 MISSES' COAT SUITS \$1.98</b> We have five Misses' Coat Suits that are old style form, 2 seasons ago; but good quality and suits that sold for \$10.00 and \$12.50, choice .....	<b>\$3.98</b>
Sizes: 32 and 36. The trimmings are worth this.	

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About 15 Silk Petticoats, including all colors, special lot prices ranging from \$5.00 to \$12.50, choice .....

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Window Display  
Beginning  
Monday, January 18

# January Clearance Sale

## Ladies', Misses and Children's Ready-to-Wear Garments, Suits, Skirts, Coats, Dresses, Underskirts, Waists, Kimonos, Furs, Etc.,

WE HAVE JUST CLOSED the most successful year in our business history in our Ready-to-Wear Department. Far more successful than we dared to ever hope, which goes to show that our goods offered were right both in quality and price. We started in last year to feature this department stronger than ever. This year we start with even stronger resolutions to have no stone unturned to make our name foremost without comparison for Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Garments. Holding the position that we do in the buying market, we are able to buy much cheaper, hence offer much better garments at same money than most merchants. We have just finished our inventory and are now ready to start a new year. New goods arriving now for spring, and, as our policy is to carry nothing over, we inaugurate our January Clearance Sale, at greatly reduced prices. All the surplus stock and odds and ends must be moved at once, so now is your time to profit by such saving prices. Come the first day for possibly the very garment you want will be the first to go. Beat the other women to it.

Ladies' Percale Wrappers, in red and blue, lined to waist, made with yoke and semi-fitting, with belt, regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 value priced at .....

**98c**

Ladies' Ecru or White Net Waists, trimmed in Persian bands, long sleeves, pointed cuff, lined throughout. A waist that is worth \$3.00, while we were running special at \$1.49, to clean up few dozen we have left, choice .....

**98c**

Ladies' Heatherbloom Petticoats, wide flounce with dust ruffle, regular \$3.50, priced at .....

**\$2.69**

**\$8.50 MISSES' COATS \$3.98**  
About 8 Misses' light mixture Coats, 52 inches long, size 14 to 18; also fit average size woman. These Coats, are plain with notch collar and semi-fitting back, formerly sold for \$8.50, choice .....

**\$1.98**

## Furs Underpriced

Some Half Price---Some Third Off---Some Fourth Off

And when buying at these reduced prices, remember that we guarantee every piece of Fur that we sell—you're buying the best always—at less always, now much less.

Fur Scarfs—\$1.50, \$2, \$3, \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00 up to \$10.50, reduced to .....

**Half Price**

Fur Scarfs—\$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00 \$6, \$7.50, \$8.00 up to \$16.50.

**One-Third Off**

Fur Scarfs, Muffs and Fur Sets, price \$16.50 to \$75.00.

**One-Fourth Off**

## Coat Suits

At Clean Up Prices

<b>Lot 1</b>	<b>Choice</b>	<b>\$10.00</b>
<b>Lot 2</b>	<b>Choice</b>	<b>\$14.95</b>

We have divided the few Suits that we have left in Suit Department up into 2 lots:

LOT 1—includes some fifteen or twenty Suits that originally sold as high as \$30.00, choice .....

**\$10.00**

LOT 2—includes about half dozen Suits, former prices up to \$42.50, choice .....

**\$14.95**

B're, brown, black, green and few mixtures in worsteds and broadcloths sizes 16 to 42.



## Ladies' Long Coats

At

## Reduced Prices

Ladies' black Broadcloth Coat, 50 inches long, trimmed and satin lined throughout; satin and soutache-trimmed shoulders and velvet, a very attractive coat \$10.00 .....

**\$7.95**

Ladies' Black Broadcloth Coat, velvet cuff, trimmed in satin and shawl collar of inlet velvet, trimmed over shoulder in satin straps, 52 inches long and a very handsome coat at \$12.50, priced at .....

**\$8.75**

Ladies' black Cloth Coat, trimmed in satin, notch collar trimmed in satin, semi-fitting back 50 inches long, lined to waist with mercerized satin, in Misses' and Ladies' sizes.

**\$5.95**

One of our leaders at \$8.50, choice, those left at .....

**\$3.75**

Misses' grey stylist all-wool mixture Coat, 48 inches long, semi-fitting back, a remarkable value at \$5.50, choice of those left .....

**\$3.75**

Lot A—Ladies' black cloth Coat, one and two of a kind, prices from \$12.50 to \$25.00; all new, stylish and very attractive values, choice .....

**ONE-FOURTH OFF**

Ladies' grey Rain Coats, made of grey cravette cloth, semi-fitting back, 52 in long, a very desirable garment for traveling or shopping, a value that is worth \$10.00 choice at .....

**\$4.95**

5 Scotch Mixin Coats in Ladies', 50 inches long, green and brown \$15.00 regular price, choice at .....

**\$8.75**

7 Ladies' Navy Blue Kersey Coats, trimmed in black satin and velvet cuff and collar, loose fitting, front \$10.00 and \$12.50 values, choice .....

**\$5.75**

25 Ladies' Tan Kersey and Broadcloth Coats, 50 and 52 inches long, some plain in satin and velvet, some braids; Coats worth from \$10.00 to \$15.00, choice .....

**\$6.95**

## Fur Coats Sharply Underpriced

Sizes are broken and we have left only about ten to select from—one and two of a kind—so don't put off buying; and remember, we guarantee on Coats.

Electric Seal Coats, \$35.00 value, at .....

**\$27.95**

Electric Seal Coats, \$42.00 value, at .....

**\$31.75**

Electric Seal Coats, \$49.00 value, at .....

**\$37.50**

Select Skin Pony Coats, 36 inches long; size 36; regular price \$60.00, special at .....

**\$37.50**

Select Skin Pony Coats, 30 inches long; size 34; regular price \$50.00 Coat, special at .....

**\$29.50**



## Silk Dresses and Princess Costumes

**Lot B Choice \$12.75**

**Lot C Choice \$15.75**

Former Prices \$25.00 to \$35.00

We offer during this sale our entire lot of Silk Dresses, made of best quality, guaranteed Chiffon, Taffeta, in brown, navy, green, yellow;

**LOT B—Choice \$12.75**

**LOT C—Choice \$15.75**

Some solid colors, some fancy checks, and stripes—Princess style or two-piece costumes. You couldn't buy the material at the prices these are offered.



## Skirts

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## At Clearance Prices

We have gone through our Skirt stocks and divided the entire stock into seven lots, regardless of former prices. You will find in the cheapest lot some very high price garments. We want to clean up this stock and make room for spring stock now arriving. Skirts of all colors and sizes.

**Lot 1  
CHOICE**

**Lot 2  
CHOICE**

**Lot 3  
CHOICE**

**Lot 4  
CHOICE**

**Lot 5  
CHOICE**

**Lot 6  
CHOICE**

**Lot 7  
CHOICE**

Never have you had such an opportunity to buy the same good quality Skirts as we offer you. Skirts for everybody at these prices.

A Small Charge  
for Alterations  
at Reduced Prices  
Will Be Made

**J. A. Rudy & Sons**

219-223 Broadway Paducah, Ky.

## Opera Coats

## At Half Price

A beautiful line of them to choose from, in all light pastel shades and the darker effects.

\$15.00 White or Colored Opera Capes .....

**\$7.50**

\$16.50 Opera Coats .....

**\$8.25**

\$22.50 Opera Coats .....

**\$11.25**

\$28.00 Opera Coats .....

**\$14.25**

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**\$14.25**

\$32.50 Opera Coats .....

**\$16.25**

\$45.00 Opera Coats .....

**\$22.50**

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 15.

## CIRCULATION STATEMENT.

December, 1908.

1.....	5101	16.....	5159
2.....	5091	17.....	5154
3.....	5123	18.....	5147
4.....	5149	19.....	5152
5.....	5139	21.....	5117
7.....	5117	22.....	5110
8.....	5108	23.....	5104
9.....	5111	24.....	5102
10.....	5114	26.....	5101
11.....	5146	28.....	5093
12.....	5136	29.....	5108
14.....	5137	30.....	5089
15.....	5157	31.....	5103
Total .....	132,271		

Average for December, 1808. 5126

Average for December, 1907. 3818

Increase ..... 1307

Personally appeared before me this Jan. 1, 1909, R. D. MacMillen, business manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of December, 1908, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

My commission expires January 10, 1912.

PETER PURYEAR,  
Notary Public McCracken Co.

Daily Thought.  
The best way to teach a virtue is to live it.—Frothingham.

Ignoring Washington weather, Tedy will not be conscious of much change when he enters the African jungles.

We sincerely trust nothing will be done to cripple the city financially, so that such a meritorious enterprise as the Home of the Friendless will be uncared for.

Why to be sure, those senators who are abusing Roosevelt, are his friends. Hadn't thought of that—Foraker and Tillman—Old Roosevelt guard, isn't it?

Let us not forget that the immediate question is whether congress will so restrict the secret service men that they cannot be used in ferreting out land thieves and robbers.

"Some snow and ice; some cooler weather noticed this week," says the Cadiz Record, which is a hopeful sign. A year ago the Record would not have dared notice anything like that for fear of the night riders.

The suicide of Carmichael has furnished Carthage, Ill., the second session in sixty-four years. The previous occasion was the now historical lynching of Joseph Smith, the Mormon leader, and his brother, Hyrum Smith. They were shot to death in the old Carthage jail, within a block of the home of Miss Miranda Hughes, where Carmichael ended his existence.

## MR. WALTERS AGAIN.

The cat's out of the bag. It was George Walters, who told the merchants of the city they would have to pay licenses for every article in their stores. This morning Mr. Walters' advocate says: "Naturally an official serving in the capacity of city treasurer, as is Mr. Walters, is compelled to collect such sums as are stipulated in the ordinance."

We once thought that the license inspector was the proper official to tell merchants what license they should pay, especially since this particular ordinance, which Mr. Walters undertakes to construe, specifically states that he shall, and in case of dispute the mayor is referee; but after observing the ways of City Clerk Maurice McIntyre, we were inclined to withhold our opinion until we observed what action Mr. McIntyre took.

It has been customary to consider the city treasurer as an officer, who receives and receipts for the money. He neither fixes the tax rate, levies the assessment, prepares the license ordinance nor construes the same. However, it is different, as our contemporary observes, with "an official serving in the capacity of city treasurer, as is Mr. Walters." Yes, an official serving as city treasurer the way Mr. Walters is serving, naturally is expected to do most anything that is bizarre. Heretofore he has set great store by the opinion of the city solicitor, and he thinks he has to go by the language of the ordinance, which says the license inspector and the mayor shall construe it.

If those agitated merchants will

just compose themselves until we find out who are city treasurer and collector, we think they will suffer no inconvenience, and even if months there were only 72 arrests. Mr. Walters should win his suit, he will take the amount the license is to fraud order because whisky is not real.

Harry George, son of Dick George, of Mayfield, not heard from in six months.

Mattie D. Todd, 56, died at Cynthians of cancer. For 12 years she was postmistress.

Court of appeals holds state not liable for death of person killed by asylum attendant.

Ide Hammons, constable, and Robert Conner, merchant, fatally shoot each other at Albany.

Vic Allen, who shot his brother-in-law, James Dunlavy, held under \$1,000 bond at Mayfield.

Knights of Pythias Widows' and Orphans' Home plans an additional building at the home.

Ellis Hamilton, colored, who cut his wife's throat at Goose Springs, Todd county, surrenders.

W. A. Anderson, C. & O. conductor, murdered near Catlettsburg, and body placed on track.

Civic league of 30 prominent women appeared before grand jury at Danville to break up blind tigers.

Claude Simmons, colored, shot and killed Henry Doty, colored, for striking him with a snowball at Louisville.

Service, service, is the call of religion, humanity and patriotism. Why should a man, who is deaf with his hands and has a true eye and mechanical ingenuity, be made a miserable failure of a lawyer or doctor, compelled by his very lack of qualifications for success in either career to commit wrong or butcher his fellow man? Not only does such a perversion of nature's purpose lessen a man's opportunity and capacity for service, but is puts him in a position,

where he has to become, not a negative quantity, but an instrument of actual harm to society.

It is not as high-toned and respectable to build houses, and shoe horses and make machines, as it is to live by one's wits? And that's the way ninety-nine per cent of the population, aside from those engaged in manual occupation, do live.

This is branching off from the subject of drafting boys from the farms to the city; but it is only an amplification of the inherent defect of our educational system. Why should not boys be educated in our schools to become good artisans and farmers as well as professional men? Some day youths will be taught manual skill as well as nimbleness of wit in all our public schools. It requires better quality of brains to construct a delicate piece of mechanism than to conjugate a Greek verb. The boy, who comes out of school with knowledge of higher mathematics, literature, ancient history and a smattering of science, and cannot drive a nail or tie a knot, is not well educated. His chief hope was that the claims of humanity would not prolong his stay in Volsen beyond a few days. It was a picture little place, but not one for a long visit, and, in any case, he was homeward bound now, rather eager for the pleasures of the London season after his winter journey—the third he had made in the interests of a book on Russia which he had in contemplation, a book designed to recommend him as an expert student of foreign affairs. He could hardly consider that this going on in Kravonia came within the purview of a serious study of his subject, but it was a pleasant, moonlit night, the old street was very quaint, the crisis he had happened on bizarre and amusing. He smoked his cigar and waited for Basil without impatience.

He had strolled a hundred yards away and just turned to loiter back when he saw a figure come out of the guardhouse, pause a moment and then advance slowly toward him. The sheepskin cap and mule made him think at first that the stranger was one of the Volsenian levy. The next moment he saw the skirt. At once he guessed that he was in the presence of Baroness Dobrava, the heroine of the piece, as he had called her in his own mind and with smile.

Previously she meant to speak to him. He threw away his cigar and walked to meet her. As they drew near to each other he raised his hat. Sophy bowed gravely. Thus they met for the first time since Sophy washed her lettuces in the scullery at Morphingham and at the young lord's bidding fetched Lorenzo the Magnificent a bone. This meeting was, however, remotely, the result of Dunstanbury had started her career on the road which had led her to where she was.

"I've seen Mr. Williamson," she said, "and he knows me now. But you don't yet, do you, Lord Dunstanbury? And, anyhow, perhaps you wouldn't remember."

She had been a slip of a girl when he first saw her, in a print frock, washing lettuce. With a smile and a deprecatory gesture he confessed his ignorance and his surprise. "Really, I'm afraid I don't. I've been such a trifle and meet so many." An acquaintance with the Baroness Dobrava was among the last with which he would have credited himself or perhaps, to speak his true thoughts, charged his reputation.

The steamer Kentucky arrived yesterday afternoon from Riverton, Ala., and all way landings with several cars of lumber for Brookport. She went on to Brookport yesterday and will return today. The Kentucky will receive freight tomorrow at the wharfboat until 6 o'clock in the evening, when she will leave for the Tennessee.

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**THE CAUSE OF COLDS.**

Good Advice Regarding the Prevention of Coughs and Colds.

If people would only properly fortify and strengthen their system, about 98 per cent of coughs, colds and pneumonia might be avoided. These troubles are simply the result of weakness, which produces a catarrhal condition of the mucous membrane, which is as an internal skin of the body. When the skin is weakened, it becomes affected with germs which are carried through the system by the blood. These parasites attack and break these delicate tissues and set up a soreness which produce what is in reality an external scrofula.

The only thing that will cure coughs and colds and prevent pneumonia is a medication which is absorbed and carried by the blood so that the diseased membrane is disinfected, cleaned, soothed and healed.

We have a remedy which we honestly believe infallible and unsurpassed for the prevention and cure of coughs, colds and all catarrhal conditions. It is the prescription of a famous physician, who has an enviable reputation of 30 years of cures gained through the use of this medicine. We promise to either effect a cure in every case or make no charge for the medicine. We urge everybody in Paducah who has need of such a medicine to try Rexall Mucu-Tone.

It stands to reason that we could not afford to make such statements and give our own personal guarantee to this remedy if we were not absolutely positive that we could substantiate our claim in every particular, and we see no reason why anyone should hesitate to accept our offer and try it. We have two sizes of Rexall Mucu-Tone. Prices 50¢, and \$1.00. Sometimes a 50¢ bottle is sufficient for a cure. As a general thing, the most chronic case is cured with an average of three large bottles. Remember, the medicine will cost you nothing if you are not satisfied in every particular. W. B. McPherson, Druggist, Paducah.

**THE LOCAL NEWS**

—Dr. Gilbert, osteopath, 400½ Broadway. Phone 196.

—Visit Page's short order restaurant, 123 South Second.

—Manicuring, hairdressing, scalp treatments and massaging. Iola Fisher, 614 Kentucky, phone 1852.

—Uniform bill of lading stamp at the Diamond Stamp Works, 115 South Third street. Phones 358.

—City subscribers to The Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make the requests direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to carriers. Sun Publishing Co.

—Choice home grown cut flowers for any occasion. Brunson's, 529 Broadway.

—Employers needing hired help such as cooks, nurses and general housework girls, please communicate with the Salvation Army employment department. Address Captain and Mrs. Arthur E. Stanton, 222 Tennessee street. New phone 1229.

Meat is high, fruit scarce; buy Mrs. Austin's pancake flour. Good, hearty breakfast for little money.

—Services tonight at 7:30 o'clock at Temple Israel, conducted by Rabbi Meyer Lovitch. Dr. Lovitch has been out of the city but has returned home. Sabbath school will be held as usual Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the temple.

The U. S. S. Golden Rod arrived from Cincinnati this morning and this afternoon unloaded her supply of 80 barrels of oil and went on to New Orleans to have a new hull put on.

—Truant Officer Jack Nelson reported this morning from Lexington, where he took Scott Jones and Frank Wagner to the reform school. Wagner escaped from the school about a year ago, but recently was recaptured.

**"LAXACOLD"**

**It Noxem**

When you catch a cold, most every one you meet can suggest a remedy. It's fortunate, though, that you don't have to experiment with ginger tea and such things—just get a box of LAXACOLD—a small compressed tablet—and your cold will be broken up in

A Day and a Night

**25c**

Gilbert's Drng Store

4th and Broadway  
Either Phone No. 77.  
Get It at Gilbert's.

**GREAT DAY****PRESENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR MONEY SAVING UNEQUALLED.**

Garments That Sold Up to \$40 a Suit Are Now \$15.95.

Today is verily the day of bargains. Probably never before were better opportunities for the practice of economy offered the people, and that they are keenly aware of that fact and are taking advantage of them is evidenced by the success attending the great sales being held in Paducah just now.

The local house that has blazed the way with the most extraordinary price reductions is the new store of R. L. Cutley & Co. The first season it inaugurated a clearance sale, in the vernacular, it made the others sit up and take a few observations. Each succeeding season has been a repetition of that one, and this season has surpassed them all.

On another page of today's issue of The Sun will be found some remarkably low prices on everything the house sells, and when it is remembered that everything in the store is bright, fresh stock, the offerings will be more fully appreciated.

Choice of any suit in the house for \$15.95 is an index to the character of this sale.

**NEWS OF COURTS**

In Police Court.  
In police court this morning there was only one case. Breach of peace. John Ferrell, continued until January 18.

Deeds Filed.  
R. F. Stewart and Flora Stewart deeded to A. R. Jenkins property on Hays avenue for \$1 and other considerations.

Mary E. Murrell deeded to Garnett Burkner Martin property on the corner of Fourth and Monroe streets for \$1 and other considerations.

W. C. O'Bryan deeded to J. P. Walker for \$225 property in the Loeb-Bloom addition.

George C. Hughes deeded to Mervin Leason property in the county near Maxon Mills for \$400.

Marriage Licenses.  
J. M. Trantham and Ora LeRoy.

**THE WEATHER.**

Beginning today the Langstaff-Orme Manufacturing company will blow its whistle every day at 12:30 o'clock to indicate what the weather will be. The company asks the citizens not to blame them in case the forecast is wrong, but blame the man at Washington, who forecasts the weather.

The Forecast.  
Blasts. Indicates.

1 long ..... Fair weather  
2 long ..... Rain or snow  
3 long ..... Local rains  
1 short ..... Lower temperature  
2 short ..... Higher temperature  
3 short ..... Cold wave  
1 long and 3 short ..... Fair, cold wave

Young Woman Known Here Weds in Ohio.

Miss Carrie B. Well, of Cleveland, O., who is well known in this city, was married at the Hotel Whitehall, Cleveland, to Mr. S. B. Kaufman, of that city, Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. The couple left immediately after the ceremony for a southern wedding trip.

Miss Well is a daughter of the late Bernard Well of Paducah, and this was her early childhood home. She is a niece of Mr. Jacob Well and of the late Messrs. Henry Well and Meyer Well, of this city, and has visited here since going to Cleveland to reside. She is a pretty young woman and is popular here.

Women like to talk of the days when they were single and had a good time.

What Shall We Have for Pie?

Thousands of housewives settle this question daily by making lemon, chocolate or cocoanut-custard pies, which have become extremely popular since "OUR-PIE". Preparation has come into general use everywhere. If "OUR-PIE" does not please you the first time, try it again after reading carefully directions on package. The more you use the goods the better you will like them. 10 cents for a 2-pie package from any grocer.

Sunday School Pupils Entertained.  
Mrs. Eva Jane Washburn and Mrs. Herman Karnes are entertaining the pupils of the primary department of the Fountain Avenue Methodist Sunday school this afternoon from 3:30 to 5 o'clock in the parlors of the church. Refreshments will be served during the afternoon.

Linen Shower for Bride-Elect.

Mrs. Ell G. Boone is having a prettily planned linen shower at her home, 308 South Sixth street, this afternoon from 4 to 5 o'clock in compliment to Miss Frances Terrell whose wedding will take place January 26.

Beautifully Appointed Card Party.

One of the beautiful affairs of the winter was Mrs. Frank Rieke's card party on Thursday afternoon at her home in the West End. It was a charmingly appointed party throughout and one of the largest card parties ever given in Paducah.

The handsome home was effectively decorated with cut flowers, carnations and roses being used in profusion. The 18 tables were attractively arranged on both the first and second floors. At the 7 tables upstairs were seated the girls of the younger set and the younger married women. There were 11 tables downstairs.

The games were kept by Mrs. Lillie Boyd, Mrs. Clara Burnett and Miss Azlee Reeves.

The upstairs prize, a cut glass powder box, was won by Miss Philip.

SISTER SUPERIOR.

**IN SOCIAL CIRCLES**

LeRoy-Trantham Marriage This Morning.

The marriage of Miss Ora LeRoy, of this city, and Mr. Joseph Trantham of Cairo, Ill., took place this morning at 10 o'clock at the home of the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. J. T. Evans, 1219 Tennessee street. The Rev. J. W. Bruner, of the Second Baptist church, performed the ceremony. It was a quiet home affair.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. M. LeRoy, of 408 Fountain avenue. She is an attractive young woman and until recently has made her home in Booneville, Ind. Mr. Trantham is connected with the Singer Manufacturing company of Cairo, and is a capable young man. He is the brother of Mr. John P. Trantham, of this city, the popular Illinois Central engineer.

Wedding of Popular Texas Girl Known Here.

Invitations have been received in Paducah to the approaching marriage of Miss Mabel Key, of Corsicana, Tex., to Mr. Thomas J. Stovall on January 27. The wedding will take place in the First Christian church of Corsicana at 8 o'clock in the evening, and will be followed by a reception at the home of the bride.

Miss Key is a niece of Mr. A. B. Sowell, of this city, and has visited her cousins, Miss Mary K. Sowell and Miss Carline Sowell, several years ago. She is a girl of charming personality and made a host of friends here. She was the recipient of much social attention in Paducah.

New Eastern Star Chapter.

Mrs. Lora Johnston, past grand matron, Mrs. Anna Wright, Mrs. Kate Kellard and Mr. E. W. Whittemore left this morning for Edaville, where a new chapter of the Eastern Star was instituted. The new chapter has 20 members and started off well. Mrs. Johnston instituted the chapter, as she presided as a special deputy. The Paducah members will return at 6:10 o'clock tonight.

Mrs. Bradshaw Hostess of Magazine Club.

The Magazine club was entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. William Bradshaw, Jr., at her home, Sixteenth and Broadway. Several interesting reports were given. Miss Minnie Ratcliffe gave an article on "Woman and Her Larger Home," telling the influence of women in civic affairs. Mrs. Vernon Blythe told a story from the Harper's called "Plagiarist," by Georgia Wood Pangborn. Miss Ora V. Leigh reported an article from the Atlantic Monthly on "Two Plays by Charles Rand Kennedy," by Elizabeth Luther Cary. Miss Minnie Fowler gave an article called "American Mud," which brought out the American tendency to belittle the nation's heroes. Mrs. Vernon Blythe was selected to fill the vacancy in the vice-presidency, caused by the absence of Miss Helen Lowry from the city. The luncheon was a prettily appointed affair.

Jefferson School Improvement League.

The Jefferson School Improvement League met this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Jefferson school. The topic for discussion was "Home Influence."

The topics discussed were:

1. "The Boy and the Home"—Judge William Marble.

2. "The Girl and the Home"—Mrs. Harry Williamson.

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## Every Remaining Suit and Overcoat

REGARDLESS of their worth or value, the clothes must be sold. They must be turned into cash. We assert, without fear of contradiction, that clothing of such high standard was never sold at such reduction before. It's against our fixed policy to carry them over. You'll find \$40, \$35 and \$30 Suits and Overcoats to select from at choice for **\$15.95**. And if you make it a point to come early, you'll find a good selection of the best grades.

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LOT A—Boys' Suits and Overcoats that sold up to \$3.00, clean-up price	<b>\$1.85</b>
LOT B—Boys' Suits and Overcoats that sold up to \$4.00, clean-up price	<b>\$2.20</b>
LOT C—Boys' Suits and Overcoats that sold up to \$6.50, clean-up price	<b>\$3.55</b>
LOT D—Boys' Suits and Overcoats that sold up to \$9.00, clean-up price	<b>\$4.75</b>
LOT E—Boys' Suits and Overcoats that sold up to \$15.00, clean-up price	<b>\$7.25</b>
Boys' 15c Black Ribbed Stockings, 10c pair, 3 pair	25c
Boys' 50c Blouse, Waists and Shirts, clean-up price	39c
Boys' 50c Heavy Caps, clean-up price	39c
50c Knee Pants, clean-up price	34c
75c Knee Pants, clean-up price	59c
\$1.00 Knee Pants, clean-up price	72c
\$1.25 Knee Pants, clean-up price	93c
\$1.50 Knee Pants, clean-up price	1.07

### PAY DAY SPECIALS

For Saturday Only

Men's 50c Black Sateen and Blue Denim Work Shirts, all sizes; Saturday only	<b>39c</b>
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Men's \$1.00 garment Keystone and Brotherhood Overalls and Jackets, Saturday only	<b>89c</b>

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### MANGUM LODGE

#### ODD FELLOWS INSTALL OFFICERS FOR YEAR.

Three Links Building Scene of Interesting Ceremony Last Night.

Officers were installed last night by the Mangum Lodge No. 21, of Odd Fellows in the "Three Links" building. After the exercises the members enjoyed a social chat and a smoker. The officers installed were: J. O. Keebler, noble grand; Carroll Jones, vice grand; William Kenzie, warden; Joseph Vogt, conductor; Joseph Potter, chaplain; William Harris, inside guardian; J. Lee, outside guardian; G. Williams and T. Hill, scene supporters; W. Rouse, left support to vice grand; W. H. Force, right support to vice grand; Virgil Berry, right support to noble grand, and F. W. York, left support to noble grand.

### Hay's Hair Health

Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Natural Color and Beauty.

No matter how long it has been gray or faded. Promotes a luxuriant growth of healthy hair. Stops its falling out, and positively removes Dandruff. Keeps hair soft and glossy. Refuses all substitutes. 2½ times as much in \$1.00 as 50c size. **It's Not a Dye.**

**\$1 and 50c bottles, at druggists**  
Send 2c for free book "The Care of the Hair."  
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W. B. MCPHERSON.

### TOBACCO NEWS

Louisville Tobacco, Louisville, Ky., Jan. 15.—There was no change in the tone of the local tobacco market.

The offerings on the local breaks follow: Old crop, burley 12, dark 42; 1908 crop, burley 439, dark 89. Original inspection, 533; reviews, 50. Total, 583. Rejections, burley 63, dark 38. First sale at the Farmers' house.

The Pickett warehouse sold 65 hogsheads of burley at \$12.50 to \$23.00 and 10 hogsheads of dark at \$5.15 to \$9.90.

The Kentucky warehouse sold 90 hogsheads of burley at \$10.00 to \$19.50 and 5 hogsheads of dark at \$4.30 to \$5.70.

The Ninth street warehouse sold 82 hogsheads of burley at \$11.75 to \$20.00.

Farmers' warehouse sold 82 hogsheads burley at \$9.40 to \$19.50.

The Louisville warehouse sold 25 hogsheads of burley at \$9.90 to \$19.75 and 2 hogsheads of dark at \$5.30 to \$7.40.

The People's warehouse sold 37 hogsheads of burley at \$8.90 to \$19.75.

The Dark warehouse sold 43 hogsheads of dark at \$5.30 to \$11.25.

The Planters' warehouse sold 40 hogsheads of burley at \$9.00 to \$19.75.

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Leaf Tobacco Exports.

A decrease is shown in the total volume of leaf tobacco exported from the United States during the month of November, 1908, both as compared with the corresponding month of 1907 and the preceding month of October, 1908. The total export for the month aggregated 19,492,276 pounds, a decrease of 6,020,543 pounds, or 24 per cent., as compared with the volume exported during November, 1907.

Compared with October, 1908, the decrease amounts to 5,030,566 pounds, or 20 per cent.

The largest shipments were as usual, made to the United Kingdom, which took 10,963,574 pounds, or 56 per cent. of the total exports for the month. The amount taken by the United Kingdom in November was 1,832,771 pounds, or 15 per cent. less than were exported to the same country the corresponding month of 1907.

Italy again ranked second among the largest purchasers of leaf tobacco from the United States in November, having imported 1,857,055 pounds, or

about 10 per cent. of the total amount shipped to all countries during the month. In November, 1907, Italy took 3,712,623 pounds.

The third heaviest purchaser in November was the Netherlands, which imported 1,332,525 pounds, or about 7 per cent. of the total amount shipped to all countries during the month.

In November, 1907, the Netherlands took only 805,493 pounds of leaf from the United States.

Outside of the shipments to British North America, which amounted to 1,090,138 pounds in November, no other countries took more than a million pounds during the month.

During the eleven months of the calendar year ending with November, 1908, there were exported from the United States, 285,170,552 pounds of leaf tobacco, as compared with 297,038,550 pounds exported during the corresponding period of 1907. This is a decrease of 11,868,994 pounds, or about 4 per cent.

The greatest increase in the volume of leaf tobacco taken by the various countries during the expired eleven months of the calendar year, as compared with the same period of 1907, are shown in the countries listed as follows, taking rank in the order named: United Kingdom, 24,699,357 pounds; British Australia, 3,168,596 pounds; and Italy, 1,936,495 pounds.

The greatest decreases in the volume taken by the various countries during the same period were: Spain, 19,829,333 pounds; Germany, 8,559,781 pounds; France, 2,813,448 pounds; Belgium, 2,190,477 pounds; and other Europe, 2,098,742 pounds.

Refused to Discuss Matter.

New York, Jan. 15.—United States District Attorney Stimson declined to discuss the report that the department in Washington has sent him

papers in the matter of the Panama canal purchase for prosecution of

of the twenty countries reported only seven show an increase for the eleven months of the calendar year.

### CRIMINAL ACTION

#### MAY BE INSTITUTED AGAINST PANAMA LIBELLERS.

Washington, Jan. 15.—It is learned upon reliable authority that the department of justice has turned over to United States District Attorney Stimson, of the southern district of New York, all the papers connected with the Panama canal purchases that have been the target for criticism for the last six months. It is believed this transfer is made with the view of bringing criminal action in New York against publishers of newspapers who have been held responsible for the reflections on the transaction. Attorney Stimson, it is expected, will turn the papers over to District Attorney Jerome for presentation to the grand jury, that a suit may be brought under the laws of New York.

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newspaper publishers in this city under New York state laws.

### Seven Years of Proof.

"I have had seven years of proof that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best medicine to take for coughs and colds and for every diseased condition of throat, chest or lungs," says

W. V. Henry, of Panama, Mo. The

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### HOTEL ARRIVALS

Palmer—B. W. Cook, Atlanta, Ga.

E. Walker, Chicago; R. A. Atkins,

Cairo; J. J. Green, Akron; Eagan M.

Riley, Louisville; F. W. Allen, Nash-

ville; T. J. Melton, Poole; L. B. Hud-

son, Louisville; J. F. Quinn, Buffalo;

William Seymour, Warsaw.

Belvedere—G. W. Hanna, Metrop-

olis; H. C. Smith, Louisville; William

Davis, Mt. Vernon; O. O. Hemenway,

Springfield; C. C. Grooms, Greenfield;

G. W. Reynolds, Memphis; Harvey

Hogg, Nashville; Lee Ragland, Keokuk;

W. T. Young, Paris.

New Richmond—George Keller,

Pottsville; J. B. Trall, Smithland; J.

C. Barnett, Ledbetter; Fred Slatier,

St. Louis; B. E. Sumner, Pemrod; T.

S. Vickers, Hamletsburg; J. C. Carter,

Pottsville; Charles James, Cairo;

P. J. Hoog, Joplin.

St. Nicholas—J. W. Ester, Martin;

W. H. Nall, Brownfield; R. H.

Wright, Hampton; Bruce Baynes,

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All Overcoats, Top Coats and Raincoats, that sold up to \$40.00  
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## ROJESTVENSKY PASSES AWAY

Had Been in Russian Navy Most of His Life.

Accused of Cowardice on Defeat By Togo in Battle of Japan Sea, Pleaded Guilty.

BUT SENTENCE WAS COMUTED

St. Petersburg, Jan. 15.—Death is announced of Vice Admiral Rojestvensky, who commanded the Russian fleet in May of 1905, when it was practically annihilated by the Japanese in the battle of the Sea of Japan.

In Japanese War. Sinov, Petrovitch Rojestvensky, who was about 60 years old, has been in the Russian naval service the greater part of his life. In 1904,

after the disasters which had befallen the Russian warships in their conflicts with the Japanese, Rojestvensky was given personal command of the Russian Baltic fleet with orders to take it to Vladivostok.

When the fleet was off Dogger's Banks in the North Sea it came upon the North British fishing fleet, and believing they were Japanese some of the Russian ships fired upon the fishermen. They caused damage for which Great Britain recovered \$320,000 from Russia.

The Japanese during Rojestvensky's voyage had captured Port Arthur and sunk or captured most of the Russian warships that had been bottled up there, and this caused a change in

the plans of Rojestvensky to take his fleet northward to Vladivostok. Advancing into the China Sea, where coal and provisions were taken on board, Rojestvensky in May, 1905, was joined by Admiral Nebogatoff's division and the combined fleet started through the strait of Korea on their way to Vladivostok.

Between Korea and Japan, in the Straits of Tsu-Shima on May 27, the Russians ran into Vice Admiral Togo's naval ambuscade and in the conflict Togo captured or disabled eight battleships, nine cruisers, three coast defense ships, nine destroyers, one auxiliary cruiser, six special service steamers and two hospital ships.

The Russian loss was 4,000 men killed and 7,300 taken prisoners. The Japanese lost three torpedo boats and 116 men killed and 538 wounded.

The battleship Kniaz Souvaroff, up in battle and the vice admiral sustained severe wounds. He was then conveyed to the destroyer Bidovy, which surrendered to the Japanese battleships.

After returning to Russia he and other officers were charged with cowardice and put on trial. Though he plead guilty he was declared not guilty and his officers were sentenced to death, but the sentences were commuted.

### STR. GRACEY CHILDERS

Leaves every Tuesday at noon for Nashville and all way points and every Saturday at 6 p. m. for Clarksville and all way points. For further information see D. D. Atchison, old phone 2777, or on board.

## BIG CROWD

ATTENDS REVIVAL SERVICES AT FIRST CHRISTIAN.

FULL ATTENDANCE OF CHORUS CHOIR ASIST DR. CROSSFIELD—"DRIFTING AWAY FROM GOD."

The forbidding weather, last night, had but little effect on the attendance at the revival services at the First Christian church. Full attendance of the chorus choir and the singing was spirited and inspiring. "Drifting Away From God" was the subject of President Crossfield's sermon, and Prof. Sturgis' solo; "Drifting Down," was a fine introduction to it and was sung with splendid effect. Dr. Crossfield mentioned several things that set

DR. KING BROOKS, DENTIST.  
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people adrift religiously—neglect of the Bible, and non-church attendance was thought to be quite a general cause.

"How many of you children," said the doctor, "can go home tonight and put your hand upon the Bible in your home before you turn on the light?" Some children of mature years, he thought, might not be able to perform that little feat. And yet the Bible is the chart and compass, and the only one, that can guide us over the sea of life and into the power of eternal safety and peace.

Neglect of prayer another cause. This will cause the Christian to relax his hold upon God. Ultra fashionable society sets some good people adrift religiously. Eyes are blinded by the gloss and glitter of fashion, and souls are entangled by mammon.

The sermon was interspersed with many striking illustrations.

A conference of the members will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Sunbeam choir will meet at 4 o'clock for practice, and will sing at the evening service. Dr. Crossfield will give his third lecture to Sunday school workers at 4 o'clock and preach again at night.

At the close of the evening service there will be a social hour in the lecture room, and the ladies will serve light refreshments. This will

give the people an opportunity to meet the evangelist and to become acquainted with one another.

Dr. Crossfield spoke this morning to the students of Draughn's Business college.

Give me, O Lord, a mild, a peaceful, a meek and an humble spirit, that, remembering my own infirmities, I may bear with those of others; that, considering my character, a

may rebuke with all long-suffering and gravity; that I may think lowly of myself, and not be angry when others also think lowly of me; that I may be patient toward all men, gentle and easy to be entreated. Amen.

—Bishop Wilson (1722).

No mere effort to do one's duty can fill the measure of love, and nothing else in human relationship can take its place.—Forward.

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